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REMARKS

Reconsideration of Notice of Non-Compliant amendment is requested.

Applicants respectfully note that the Amendment and Response to Office Action in the above-referenced case filed on April 3, 2007 was indeed in compliance with the requirements for filing a non-final amendment. Applicants specifically note the addition of a comma between the terms "mica" and "aluminum silicate," the comma underlined to denote its addition relative to the immediate prior version. To more clearly emphasize this change, however, applicants have replaced the paragraph at issue, this time deleting the full term "mica aluminum silicate" and adding the term "mica, aluminum silicate" (the only difference between the deleted and added text being the insertion of the comma between "mica" and "aluminum silicate").

All issues having been addressed, the applicants respectfully submit that the application is in condition for allowance. Accordingly, allowance is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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